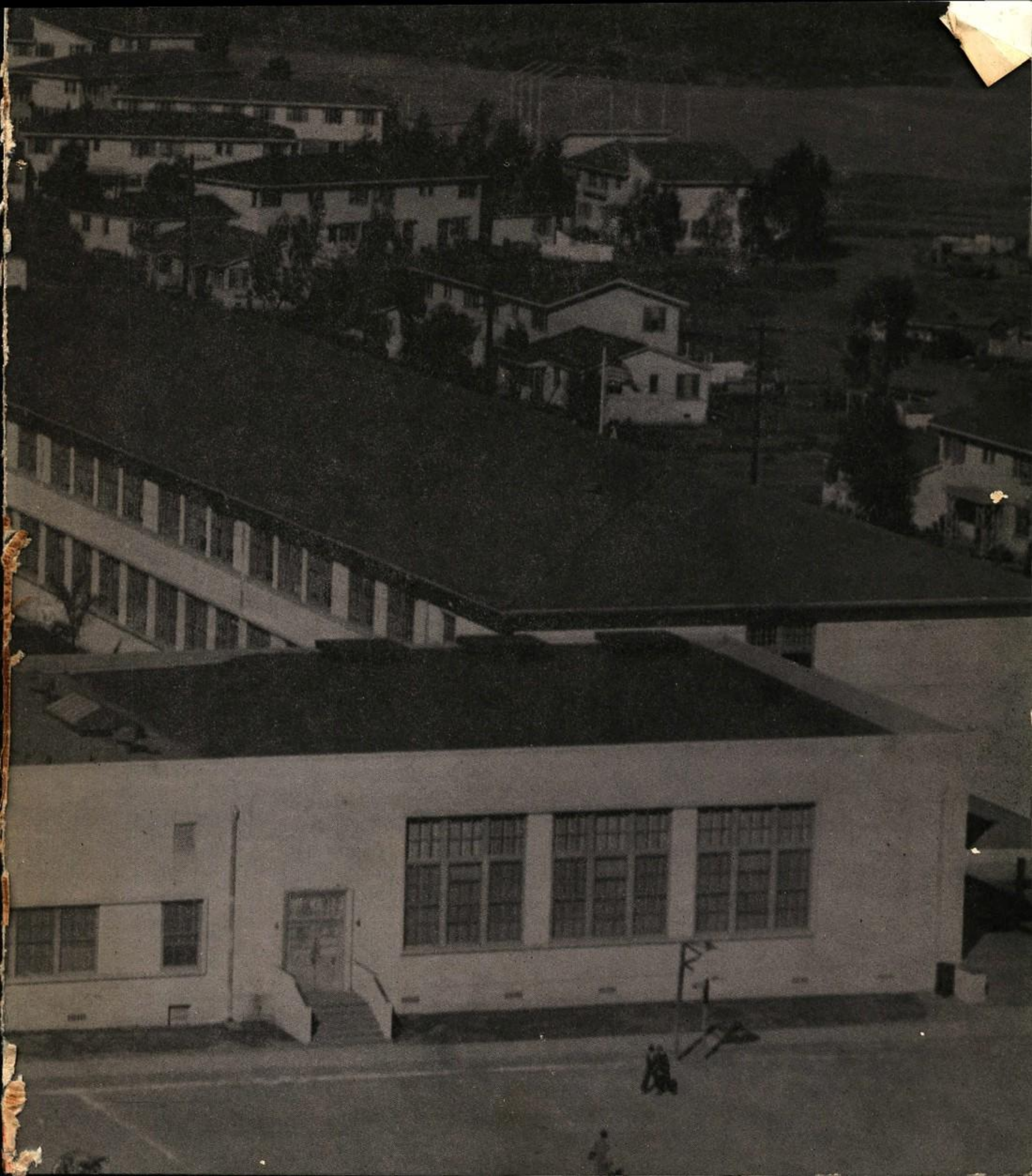


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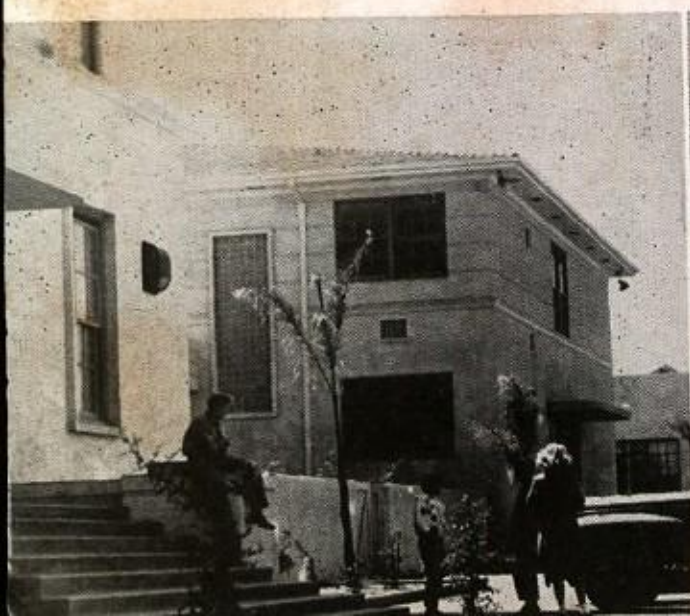
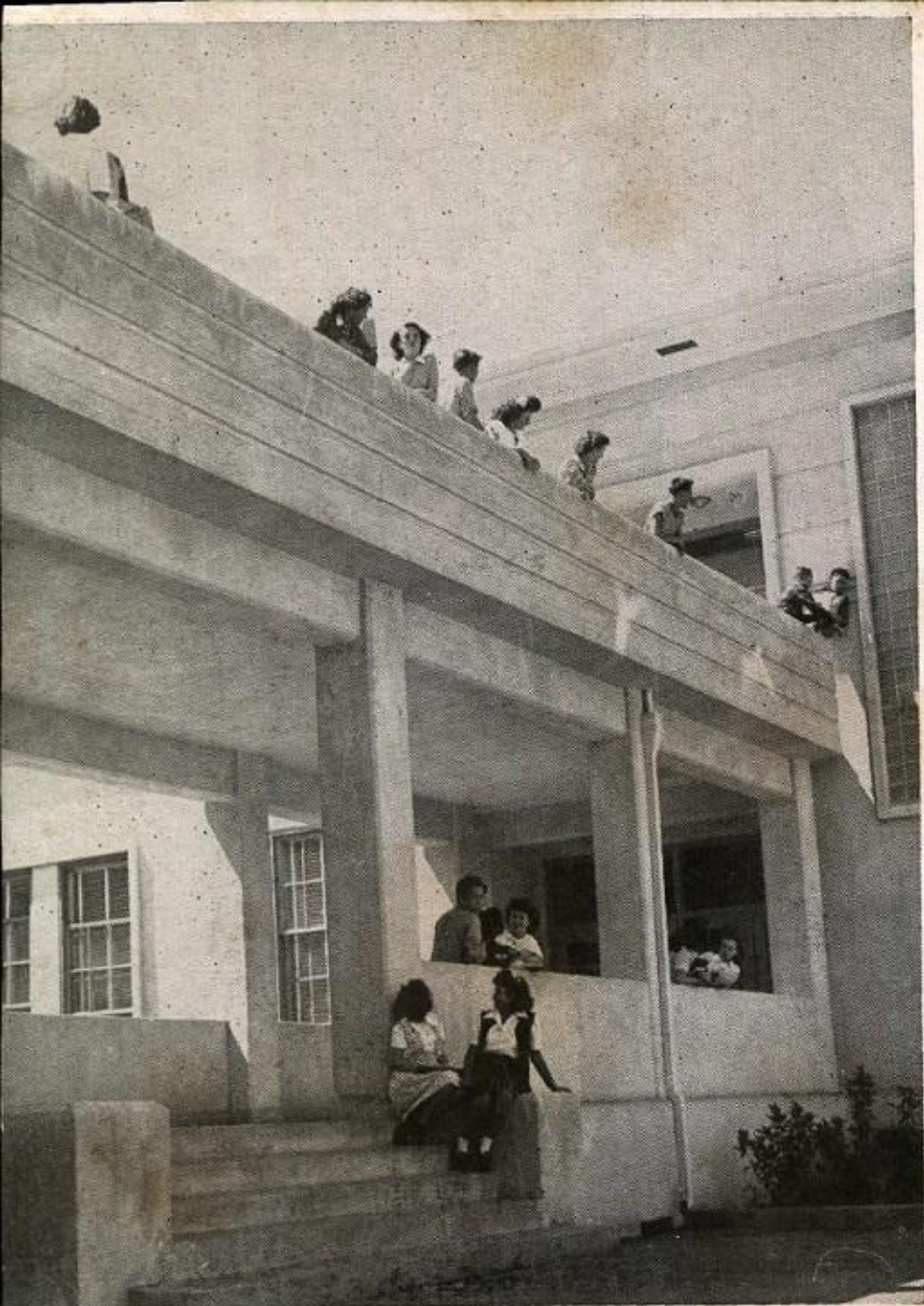
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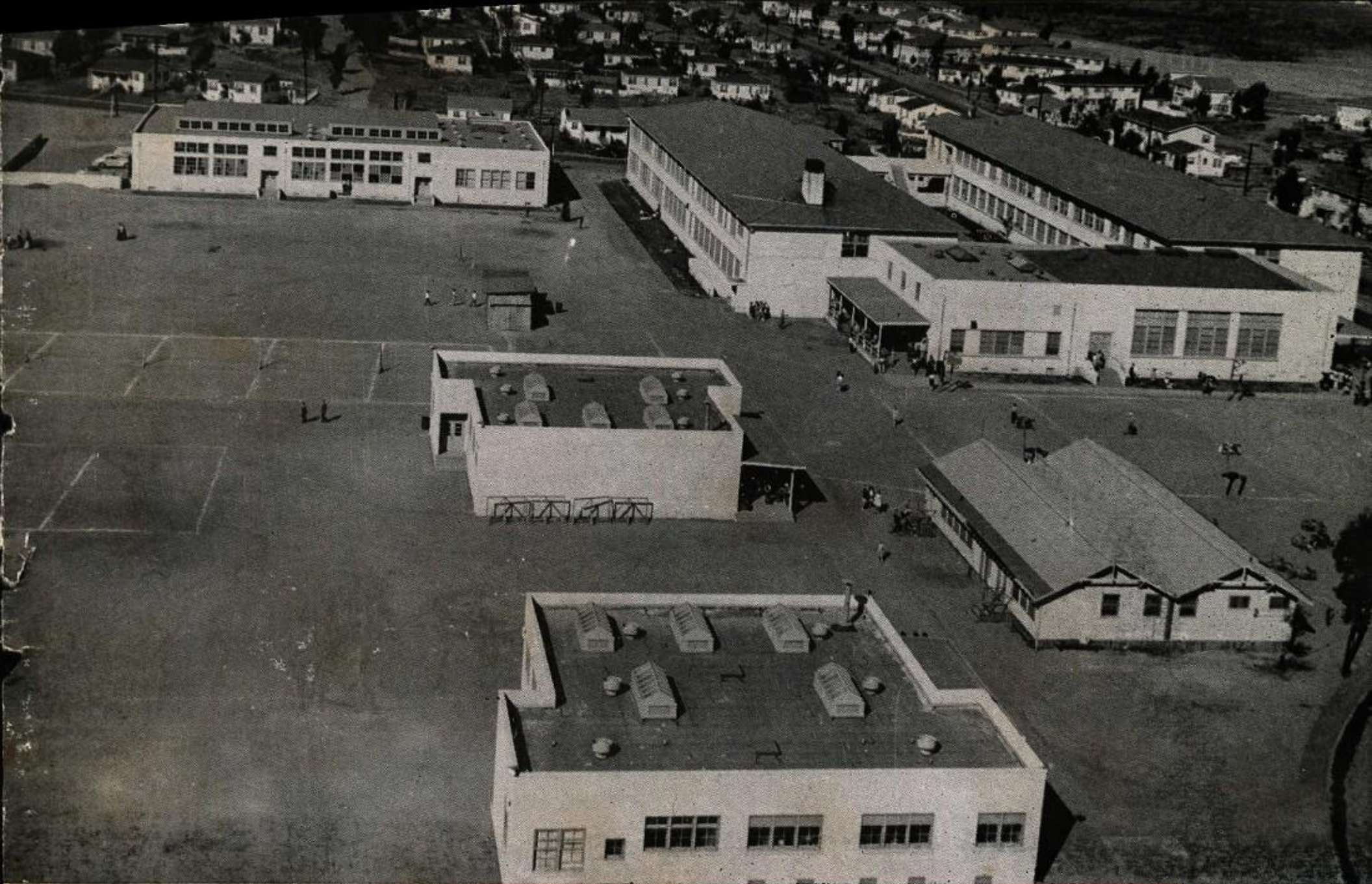
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ELAINE CADARY

Swoosh! Komey has arrived at Kearny. "Who's Komey?"—Komey is all of you. He's our school spirit. He's the crowd rooting in the bleachers; the pupils studying hard in classes; the club members, frivolous and serious, all working for the school. He's the finest school spirit in San Diego. When he first saw the high school on the mesa, Komey said . . .





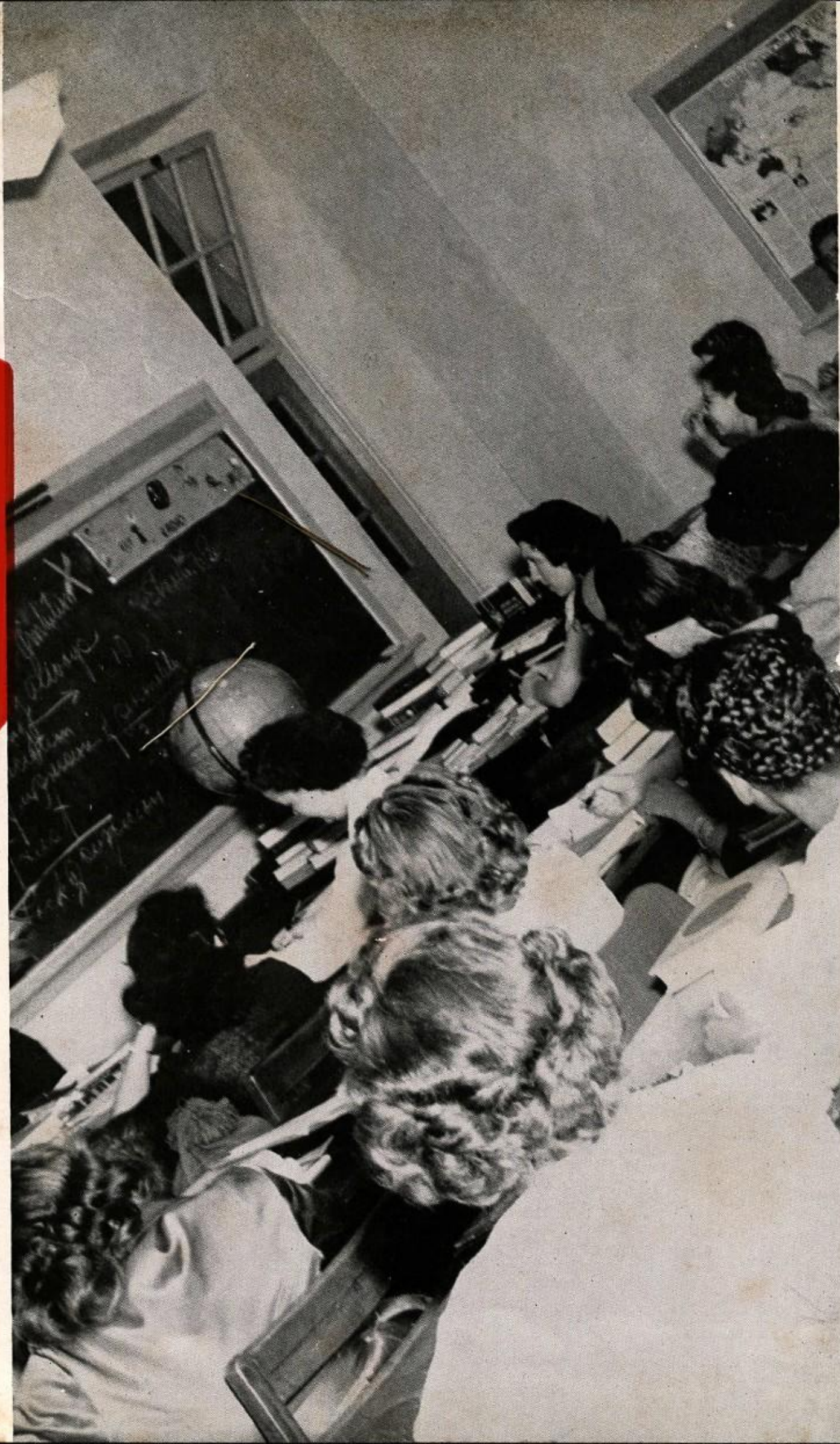
"THAT'S FOR ME." So he endured...

OUR SORROWS---

but found them very human.

Also he met . . .







MR. TAYLOR. One of the first calls Komey felt obliged to make after his arrival at Kearny was on the principal, Mr. E. C. Taylor.

With slight misgivings and an empty feeling in the pit of his stomach he approached that inner sanctum of Knowledge, Mr. Taylor's office.

His qualms were soon forgotten, however, once he had met our principal, our Knight in Shining Armor, our Five-Star General in this battle of Kearny High.

He was not long in learning that in five years Kearny has become third largest school in the city, and that, largely through Mr. Taylor's efforts, it is steadily raising its scholastic standards.

MISS MARKEY. Kearny has a reputation for being friendly and one of the people most responsible for this is Miss Markey, our Girls' Vice-Principal.

She has squelched for all time the legend that Deans are Ogres lurking in their offices, constantly on guard against any joy and laughter. Famous for her rendition of Chickery Chick she's also wowed us in the past with her dancing at Girls' League assemblies.

When Komey asked, "Where do I take my I. Q. Test?" they replied, "Miss Markey." "Whom do I see about scheduling a meeting?" "Miss Markey." "Who has to sign this pass?" Yes, all these things and many more keep Miss Markey on the go, and still she has time to solve the many problems of girls who've found her answers simple and helpful. That's why, Komey, you see such a line of girls in front of her office; they're going to see Miss Markey—every girl's friend.

MR. BARBER. Back in the saddle again, after two and a half years in Uncle Sam's Navy, is Mr. Barber, Vice-Principal.

Known as the "Boogie" man, because of his pianistic ability, even in the short time since his return to Kearny, he has renewed his old popularity—especially, as Komey learned, among the feminine population.

His hot boogie-woogie never fails to send the girls, so this teacher man is really a double threat.

MR. SMITH. For two and a half long, nerve-wracking years, Mr. Smith has served as Vice-Principal at Kearny and only now that he has time to sit back and heave a deep, but short sigh of contentment does he realize what he's been through.

While racing through the halls, Komey felt a firm hand grab the nape of his neck and jerk him to a halt; Mr. Smith in charge of all guards. While taking a swim instead of an exam, Komey was most embarrassed to notice a familiar face observing him:—Mr. Smith in charge of "unexplained absences."

When a senior needs advice about his job; when as a senior, he has troubles, he deals with one person, Mr. Smith.



FRONT ROW: Merrill, Czuchna, Miller. MIDDLE ROW: Varley, Elgin, Shaw, Virden, Creelman. BACK ROW: Crawford, Weisbrod, Wirt, D. Smith, A. Smith, H. Smith.



FRONT ROW: Sykes, Risty, Sawyer, Wetzell. BACK ROW: Jennings, Rich, Simmons, Heathcote, Saul, Ulvestad, Youngblood.



THE ONES THAT GOT AWAY: Wemple, Blethen, Ortiz, Otterness, Page, Sullivan, Wells, Schick

FRONT ROW: Haradon, Steuermann, Sorenson, Cheesman. BACK ROW: Durr, Lewis, Burcham, Fox,
Hall, Hutchinson, Lambert, Lewis, Zaloudek, Gerdis.

FRONT ROW: Wiseman, Harris, Wood, Trenfel, Rock, Bothun, Warmer. SEATED: Martel, Mattson.
BACK ROW: Henking, McKenney, Starkus, Brunk, Daugherty, Speck.



EVERYBODY'S FRIENDS.







LUPE AGUIRRE
JEAN BAHLMANN
TINA BILLSTROM

FRANK ALMOND
DONALD BAKER
HARLEY BJORNSON

JOSEPHINE ALVARADO
ROBERT BARTZ
GENEVA BREAN

PHYLLIS ANDERSON
DOROTHY BEANS
MARCELINE BROWNING

BILL ATKINS
GALEN BENSON
DOROTHY BRUNNER

ANDREW AVILA
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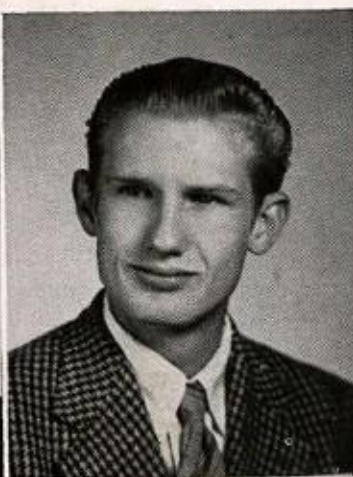
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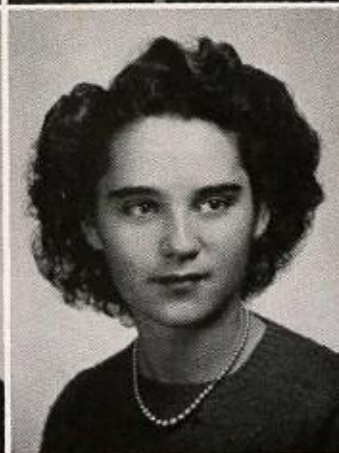
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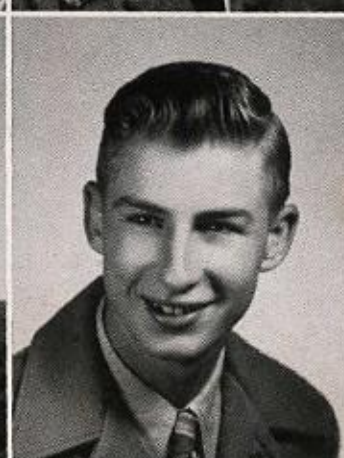
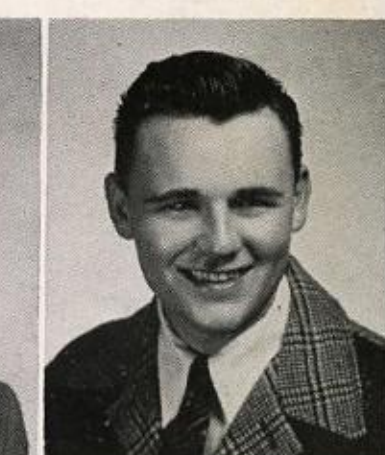
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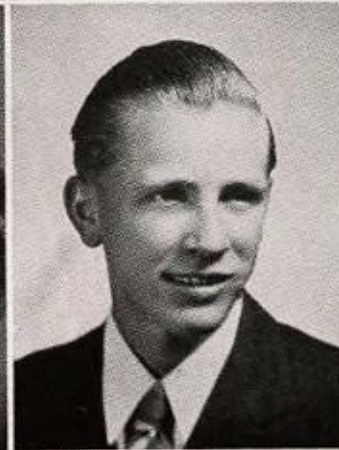
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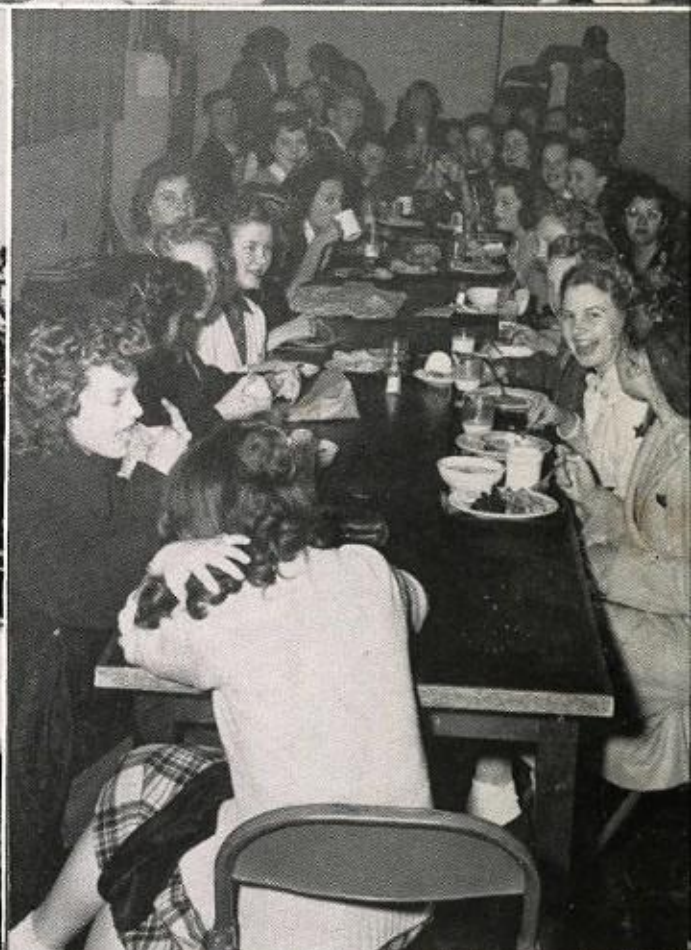
CLARA WILLIAMS



SENIOR ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

Oct. 31	Hallowe'en Party
Jan. 24	Party for February Graduates
May 9	Senior Play
May 23	Gift Assembly
June 5	Senior Breakfast
June 14	Ditch Day
June 16	Vespers
June 19	Commencement
June 20	Junior-Senior Prom





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Hattabough, Janis King. SECOND ROW: Ynaith Evans, Doro-
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Hall. THIRD ROW: Sue Hargis, Willie May Keating, Peggy
Irvine, Gerald Hathaway, Kenneth Kilgore, Bill Hawks. BACK
ROW: Jack Jonte, Albert Julian, Tom Jourdon, Donald Gwath-
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He strutted with the FRESHMEN while . . .





He just hoped with the EIGHTH GRADE and . . .







He despaired with the SEVENTH GRADE.





These are his SOPHOMORE friends and . . .

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FRONT ROW: Lillian Rasp, Billie Jean Walsh, Ann Underwood, Drusilla Schmitt, Betty Jo Ozbirn, Joan Youngblood. SECOND ROW: Bob Nye, Ruth Quintana, Salos Reynalda, Jean Clark, J. D. Matlock, Bob Myers, Nereo Rodriquez.

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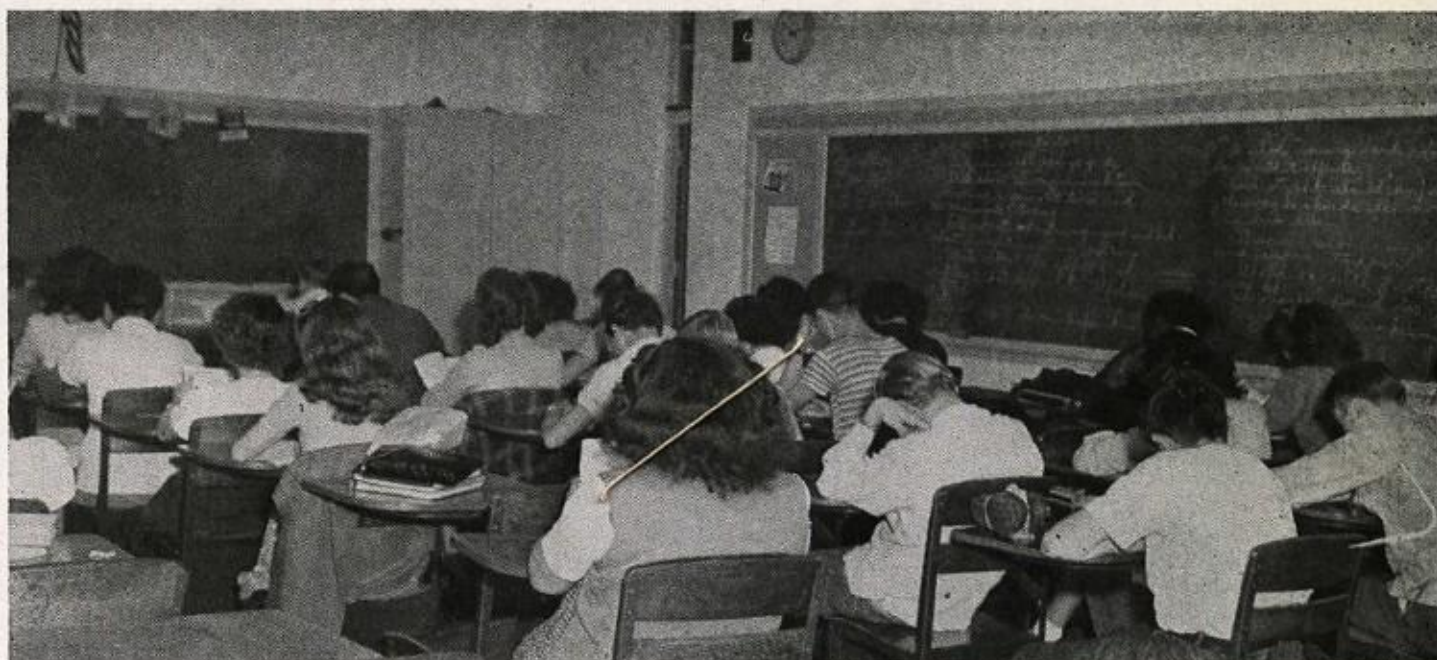
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SECOND ROW: Ernest Smith, Donald McSpadden, Samuel Cripps, David Anderson, Kay Bernard, Max Prescott, Toodie Farmer, Weetonia Jackson.

THIRD ROW: Oscar Hammond, Morton Jorgenson, Russell Kreuger, George Cole, Jack Howard, Jimmy Beckstand, Barbara Dishong.

BACK ROW: Clifford Poe, Vernice Middaugh, Elaine Gallagher, Nadine Foster, Alyce Duncan, Dorothy Lewis, Robert Gonzalez, Lonney Smith.

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SECOND ROW: Danny Keith, Tommy Fisher, Thelma Montgomery, Margie Schreiner, Gloria Ellis, Jean Henderson, Nadene Clark.

THIRD ROW: Thomas Brown, Charles French, Richard Kale, Eugene Howarth, Donovan Baillif, Tony Martinez, Sidney Baker.

BACK ROW: Bertram Atkins, Ronald Mankins, Wayne Younger, Dwight Shuman, Jerry Jackson, Tommy Hall, Floyd Hendrix.

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FRONT ROW: Carole Ellis, Anne Odin, Darlene Cyrus, Robert Delgado, Darrell Atkins, Tommy Lothspeich.

SECOND ROW: Billy Pegler, Arnold Crowell, Wallie Wright, David Smith, Bob Cash, Jimmy Bigler, Bruce Hines.

THIRD ROW: Edward McRae, Paul Behlman, Royce Barker, Robert Giegear, Kenneth Casey, Jerry Smith, Rex Hendrix, Harold Peacock.

BACK ROW: Phyllis Schneider, Lou Smith, Beverly Winter, Virginia Trebig, Loreen Lindgreen, Edward Brown, John Nipp.

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FRONT ROW: Barbara Gordon, Rosalie Allen, Donna Simmons, Peggy Andreasen, Alice Thompson, Wilma Kallenback.

SECOND ROW: Patsy Newton, Bobbie Willis, Phyllis Vincent, Shirley Brunton, Roxy Ann Monteith, Patricia Oberle, Betty Lou Houser.

THIRD ROW: Ralph Avery, George Campbell, Calvin Prior, Billie Jolly, Doris Bettencourt, Carolyn Detwiler, Phyllis Maine.

BACK ROW: Ervin Schutt, Francis Chambers, Ronnie Banner, Donald Pierce, Robert Banner, Richard Budz, Robert Witt.

MIDDLE LEFT

FRONT ROW: Nancy Drapkin, Josie Slaven, Socorro Alvarez, Darlene Fidler, Evelyn Baggett, Shirley Noland.

SECOND ROW: Flora Chavez, Marie Chaffers, Diane Zyrek, Margaret Thorp, Alice Gonzalez, Socorro Coto, Dolores Fitzwater.

THIRD ROW: Marland Whaley, Neva Weibel, Norma Beal, Shirley Tweed, Mabel Chaffers, Joan Lepper, Ann Eramo.

BACK ROW: Eugene Rymer, Frank Davis, James Wion, Donna Gililand, Mercedes Sirogusa, Melvin Stilson, Roger Patrick.

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SECOND ROW: Tim Bautista, John Rogers, Donald Pusker, Leonard Edgar, Oscar Hammond, Alven Goessman, Ernest Shipley.

THIRD ROW: Victor Pentis, Allen Terry, Chester Hicks, John Nelson, James Hines, Robert Craven, John Shaul.

BACK ROW: Harry Hertsch, David Miramontes, Oscar Knauer, Barbara Mortenson, Bertha Howell, Patrick Regan, Gordon Brean.

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SECOND ROW: Nancy Wetzel, Vera Estrada, Dorothy Dillion, Joan Zimmerman, John Payne, Allen Cassen, Paul Myers, Dick Warren.

THIRD ROW: Emma Grant, Doreen Turnham, Virginia Wilkening, Joan Giordino, Joann Swartwood, Barbara Biggs, Jackie Faye Rawlins, Barbara Moody.

BACK ROW: Juanita Cummings, Anne De Vaughn, Janet Carroll, Dimple Harris, Mary Ann Fries, Dolores McNeil, Lou Ann Brock, Lily Whiteley.

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SECOND ROW: George Cooper, Patrick Welburn, Philip Seckler, Harry Lomax, Bobby Joe Fonville, Jimmy Sanders.

THIRD ROW: Mary Boehm, Betty Malone, Betty Bethune, Hanna Moen, Barbara Wayne, Peggy McCarthy, Shirley Newbury.

FOURTH ROW: Don Bain, Carter Hamiel, Donna Soderberg, Nellie Rodgers, Georgiana Kobrick, Eileen Donahue, Joan Barth.



HE HOBNOBBED WITH . . .





A. S. B. COUNCIL

Whiz! . . . Whiz!

"What's going on?" asked Komey as he stood in front of Room 154. "Why, Komey, those are my A.S.B. officers," replied Miss Sullivan, whizzing off to a meeting.

Just then Marvin Voss, loaded with Clothing Drive posters, bumped into Dale Webb trotting to a Student Court meeting. "Excuse me," said Alyce Shapcott, dashing to phone the printers about the Circus Ball. A whoop from Mary Francis Gray, announcing that she had found the lost penny in her account books, disturbed Gilbert Matifes and Tom Stein, who were discussing the number of service points the game guards would receive. Donna Zeglis, leaving on the double to find a gate guard, collided with Phyllis LeMaire searching for the ticket stubs. Wilma Shirkey, scanning newspapers for Kearny news, Hugo Celaya, laboriously composing a monthly report on Junior High Activities, and Naomi Carey, painfully deciphering her shorthand notes, sighed world weary sighs and struggled on.

Komey asked who was the President of this buzzing beehive. "George Schutt's your man," replied a passing student. "What a guy he must be to keep Kearny on an even keel."

President: George Schutt.

Commissioner of Girls' Activities: Alyce Shapcott.

Commissioner of Boys' Activities: Dale Webb.

Commissioner of Girls' Athletics: Donna Mae Zeglis.

Commissioner of Boys' Athletics: Tom Stein.

Commissioner of Finance: Mary Francis Gray.

Commissioner of Publications: Marvin Voss.

Commissioner of Cultural Affairs: Gilbert Matifes.

Commissioner of Junior High Activities: Hugo Celaya.

Clerk: Naomi Carey.

Ticket Auditor: Phyllis LeMaire.

Historian: Wilma Shirkey.

Editor-in-chief of KHS News: John Logsdon.

Annual Editor: Phyllis Anderson.



BIBLE CLUB



C. S. F.

Komey really enjoyed the Christian fellowship which he found in abundance at the Bible Club weekly meetings on Wednesday afternoons. Everyone readily participated in the devotion, songs, and games—all of which helps to promote Christian ideals.

In red letters on the members' calendar was the day Kearny gave the annual city-wide party for the other San Diego Bible Clubs. Other activities include the annual Bible Club Banquet and Youth fellowship meetings.

Many have received a blessing from this club, which welcomes everyone of every faith.

OFFICERS:

President: Delma Crowell
Vice-President: Wayne Henricks
Secretary: Jean Smith
Chorister: Danny James
Quiz Leader: Billie Taylor
Music Chairman:
Minnie Lou Holcombe
Sponsor: Miss Speck



FIRST SEMESTER:

President: Minnie Holcombe
Vice-President: Eleanor Repaci
Secretary: Dorothy Brunner
Treasurer: Amelia Quintana

SECOND SEMESTER:

President: Josefina Alvarado
Vice-President: Evonne Berry
Secretary: Betty Webster
Treasurer: Amelia Quintana

"Shhhhhh—" says Komey, "I'm studying—and you know what? It's fun!"

That's not so hard to believe, Komey, because CSF-ers did it more than one time in '46 and got the same reaction. But when they weren't at this diversion or cleaning their bifocal lenses, they were busy living up to their motto, "Scholarship for Service."

The book drive for the Philippine Islanders tops the list of their accomplishments. They also acquired a plaque on which the name of the outstanding Senior CSF-er of each year will be engraved. Social sessions included the annual city-wide CSF Banquet, and two—get this, Seniors—two ditch days!

If you want super service with a friendly smile, just ring for the CSF.

DIANAS

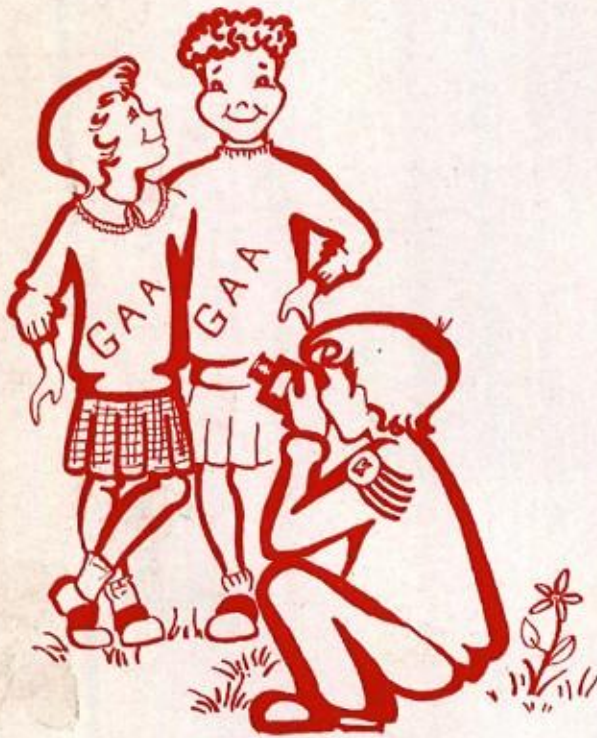
Was that a whistle we heard from Komey's corner? And who can blame him what with those Diana gals putting in such a super appearance. Those friendly smiles aren't a photographer's trick, either, because that's their purpose—being friendly to and helping all the girls at Kearny.

This year the fifteen kept up the Christmas spirit by playing Santa at the Children's Convalescent Home. Miss Markey, the Dianas' sponsor, then treated all with a delicious Chinese dinner. Regular meetings were held twice a month with a different member playing hostess each time.

Graduation will round out a year full of service and fun for the Dianas.

OFFICERS:

Secretary: Naomi Carey
Treasurer: Juanita Reasoner



OFFICERS:

President: Donna Mae Zeglis
Vice-President: Lola Smith
Secretary: Colleen Williamson
Treasurer: Gloria Parker
Activity Chairman: Lou Ella White

Transforming our dear old versatile cafeteria into a colorful Carnival not only was hilarious fun for everyone, but also replenished the G. A. A.'s treasury. "Hurrah," said Komey, "that means more sweater girls in the G. A. A." Hockey, volleyball, swimming, and playdays provided plenty of social and athletic activities for the sixty-odd members, who stand for clean living and sportsmanship. "That's Kearny's G. A. A.," says Komey.



G. A. A.

HI-Y



"Take a look at those expansive grins," says Komey, viewing the Hi-Y photos.

"Expansive grins is right, Komey! These grins of satisfaction come after a year chuckfull of events. Combining brains with brawn, they have rendered such services to the school as getting out the football-basketball schedules, and donating the football scoreboard.

The Hi-Y Prom, Frolic, and mountain trip are a few of their "super doings". The regular meetings help to make the Hi-Y a club among clubs of Kearny.

OFFICERS:

President: Joe Alford

Vice-President: Fred Bates

Secretary: Cleo Smith

Treasurer: Bob Bartz

Sponsors: Darrell Smith and Paul Cheesman



OFFICERS:

President: Gwendolyn Young

Vice-President: Shirley Dodd

Secretary: Darlene Clay

Treasurer: Patsy King

"Why," said Komey, "are all those girls running through the halls with steaming dishes in their hands?"

Haven't you heard, Komey? Those are the Junior Girl Reserves on their way to the Mother-Daughter Pot Luck Supper. These peppy members of the Y.W.C.A. have all kinds of ambitions from baby-sitting bureaus to all-school carnivals. Junior Girl Reserves are eighth and ninth grade girls who plan to become Kearny's Senior Girl Reserves some day.



JR. GIRL RESERVE



K CLUB

It looks as though Komey was still on the job, as stripe polisher, when this picture was taken. Talk about earning letters, take a look at what these boys are displaying (we mean letters, of course).

For just a newly organized club, we find these fellows really going to town under the direction of Buddy Douglas.

OFFICERS:

President: Buddy Douglas

Vice-President: Ivan McDermott

Secretary-Treasurer:

Ronald Mikkelsen

Sponsors:

Darrell Smith, Harold Smith,
Algy Lambert



JR. RED CROSS

Tables loaded with scrap-books, afghan squares, wash cloths, tray favors, and cloth and stuffing for stuffed animals caught Komey's eye as he wandered in and asked what all the commotion was. One of the busy workers poked a stuffed elephant in his face and said, "Most of these things will be sent to the Naval Hospital. We sent 130 Christmas boxes there, too. You should have seen the room then! Tooth paste and talcum powder flying all around!"

"A very worthwhile organization," says Komey.

Sponsors—Mrs. Fox and Miss Hutchinson.

"Oops, pardon me," says Komey, "I must be in the wrong place—all those girls!"

Now don't get excited, Komey. It's just the Kappa Deb Kouncil and **those** girls are known for their friendliness and service. Why, remember the fun we all had on Kid's Day with its lollipops and pigtales—not to mention the hill-billy style Barefoot Ball, the Patrick's Prance with its king and queen, or those swell assemblies.

We couldn't forget, either, the "Kappa Knothole" which kept us up to date on the latest fashions and feminine fancies, the letters that cheered us up when we were sick in bed, or that special Saturday in May when the Girls' Leagues of all the city and county schools gathered at Kearny at the invitation of these gals.

Believe me, Komey, if it's sponsored by the Kappa Deb Kouncil it's gotta be good!

OFFICERS:

President: Alyce Shapcott
Vice-President: Joanne Hunt
Secretary: Jean Mahoney
Treasurer: Phyllis Fillhart

"Kearny Kadettes! Say, that's a sharp name," says Komey.

That's right, Komey, but the name doesn't come first—it's their friendliness and helpfulness towards the other ninth grade girls that counts. Their many activities during the year, including the sponsoring of Jr. Hi dances, show very clearly what we mean.

The members of this organization have set a high standard for future Kearny Kadettes.

OFFICERS:

President: Vida Harrison
Vice-President: Effie Meyer
Secretary: Shirley Beckwith
Treasury: Ernestine Reeves



KAPPA DEB COUNCIL



KEARNY KADETTES

KO-EDS

Following the aroma of good food right to its source, Komey found the Ko-eds enjoying a wonderful pot-luck dinner in the Community Building. While they ate they discussed the swell times they had at the Hallowe'en Party; in giving the Kid's Day Ekit; and at the picnics which they had at Presidio Park—not to mention all the Activities they performed for the school, as well as the Juniors.

"A fine bunch of gals," says Komey, "and a mighty fine Club."

OFFICERS:

President: Donna Dreyer
Secretary: Carol Bohem
Treasurer: Dorothy Hamiel

The magnificent voice of Paul Robeson singing the "Ballad For Americans" resounded through the Cafeteria. Komey sat with the rest of us enjoying the National Negro History Week assembly. This was just one of the activities of the Pepper Shakers to promote friendship between the Negro and white races. Their super octette wins more friends at each appearance.

OFFICERS:

President: Dorothy Hicks
Vice-President: Barbara Appling
Secretary-Treasurer: Rita Bransford
Sergeant-at-Arms: Gwendolyn Newton
Sponsor: Miss Varley



PEPPER SHAKERS

RACQUET CLUB



"Keep your eye on that ball—love—set—my serve."
No, that's not double talk, Komey, just the usual terms used when playing a hot and fast game of tennis. Almost any Saturday morning during '46 you would have found the Racquet Club members doing just that.

Besides the regular game "get-togethers", weekly meetings helped to keep this club in fine condition for fun, recreation, and—we must not forget—Tennis!

OFFICERS:

President: Christina Alvarado
Secretary-Treasurer: Alice Smith
Sponsor: Miss Trenfel



SR. GIRL RESERVE

Peace out of the Pieces was the theme of the Mid-Winter Regional Conference of Southern California Girl Reserves. And that's exactly what Kearny Senior Reserves did at their first bang-up meeting last December—the pieces being thirty girls, and the peace, a swell new club. A super Beach Party at La Jolla and the Semi-Annual Y.W.C.A. banquet are good examples of the peace that comes from good pieces.

OFFICERS:

President: Geneva Breen
Vice-President: Virgilee Tackett
Secretary: Karen Pollack
Treasurer: Elizabeth Schenk
Sergeant-at-Arms: Lillian Rasp
Inter-club Representative: Juanita Ozborn
Reporter: Louise Munger
Adviser: Mrs. Karen Wiseman



You can't help noticing, in the picture below, the many stripes and huge K's displayed so proudly. Proudly is the word. These boys have worked hard for their gigantic K's in the major sports.

Second semester, when the club split into two groups, Tom Stein was voted in to hold the gavel for the rest of the year. Under his leadership the club accomplished a lot; but what, we won't discuss here.

Komey is the official stripe polisher for the club, by the way.

OFFICERS:

President: John Logsdon
Vice-President: Garry Sue Alfred
Secretary-Treasurer: Gilbert Matifes

Komey is right in there pushing the sharps and flats around with the best of the guys and gals in the Music Club. Vocalizing, however, isn't the only talent to be found among the members of this new, but up-and-coming, club. In this group we may find accomplishments on the piano, violin, and many other instruments. In performing for plays, assemblies and other school activities, they have proved their talents.

With the Co-Sponsorship of Mr. Zaloudek and of Mr. Edward Ortiz, this promising club should add much to Kearny's musical future.

OFFICERS:

President: Tom Stein
Vice-President: Bert Rogers
Secretary-Treasurer: Bill Hawks
Sponsors:
Darrell Smith, Harold Smith, Algy Lambert







Of course we can't forget our fine Kearny band with its steady beat which set hands to clapping and feet to tapping at many games and assemblies throughout the year.

For their service, the members of the Band and the Girls' Ensemble received a special award from the National Music Council.

Mad about music, that's Kearny—and no wonder!



"Plays, marches, assemblies, waltzes, and 'Pickles'? Yes, Pickles," says Komey as he views the music department photos.

Putting on Kearny's first operetta was a big job but a big success, and that's what counts. Among the warblers in "Pickles" were members of the Chorus, Ensemble, and Girls' Octette with the Orchestra furnishing a solid background of melody. The Vocal music was directed by Mr. Zaloudek and instrumental music by Mr. Ortiz.

KEARNY MUSIC MAKERS





"I've got a scoop!" yells a reporter.

"Please fix the dummies," pleads the editor.

"Who stole the scissors?" asks some poor misled person who is trying to do his worksheets.

"I demand more ads—we've got to have money," says the business manager.

Out of this confusion comes a paper which is already running competition to school papers of fifty years' standing. In just three years, the K. H. S. News has risen from a mimeographed sheet to a sixteen-inch, five-column, printed newspaper with many new additions, such as illustrations, features and columns.

"I don't see how they do it," says Komey as he leaves Room 103, scene of many journalistic battles.



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ADVERTISING STAFF:

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Exchange Editor—Helen Nielsen

Adviser—Miss Erlene Speck



"Something new has been added," says Komey. And he's right, for the Kearny Literary Magazine will celebrate its first anniversary exactly one year from this one of '46.

Sponsoring all the future Poes, Brownings, and Shakespeares at Kearny is the purpose of this publication. Who knows what wild-eyed scholar or rattle-brained athlete may someday actually write something wonderful? Who knows? Anyway the Literary magazine staff had first chance at the budding genius of '46.

Looking back, it was a lot of hard work but it was worth all the time spent; for an achievement of real value is an objective rarely gained. The staff says thanks to all who helped—and especially to Miss Speck, who is magazine magic!

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Literary Editor.....	Betty Blythe

SCRIBBLER'S FROLIC



STAGE CREW



STUDENT COURT
LUNCH GUARDS

KOMET KREATORS



Hearing a great wailing and gnashing of teeth one Tuesday afternoon, Komey ran to the scene of action, Room 157. The door flew open and out dashed Phyllis Anderson, hair flying and that "I'll-do-it-or-die" look in her eyes. Oh, just the Annual Staff at work again under the serene eye of Mrs. Saul.

Emitting moans and groans the staff was working—busily checking spelling of names; mounting pictures with rubber cement; dashing off to get a good action photo; and wearily juggling menacing financial figures; but having a wonderful hectic time. They sweated and slaved for a long solid year to bring you this Annual. That they may rest in peace let's join Komey in saying, "Well done, thou good and faithful staff."



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Cordray (Creator of Komey)
Fred Williams, Tom Stein
Joe Alford, Peggy Lee



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Barefoot Ball



Patrick's Prance



Madchen
and Jungen



Barroom Bozos



Charm

Leaning on the Shovel
Merry Xmas, 7th Grade
Mad! Music(?)
"Moonlight for Herb"
Thanksgiving

The Art Department Decorates







Hi-Y Prom

Christmas Season

Pepper Shakers

Kid's Day

February Assembly

Frontier Day



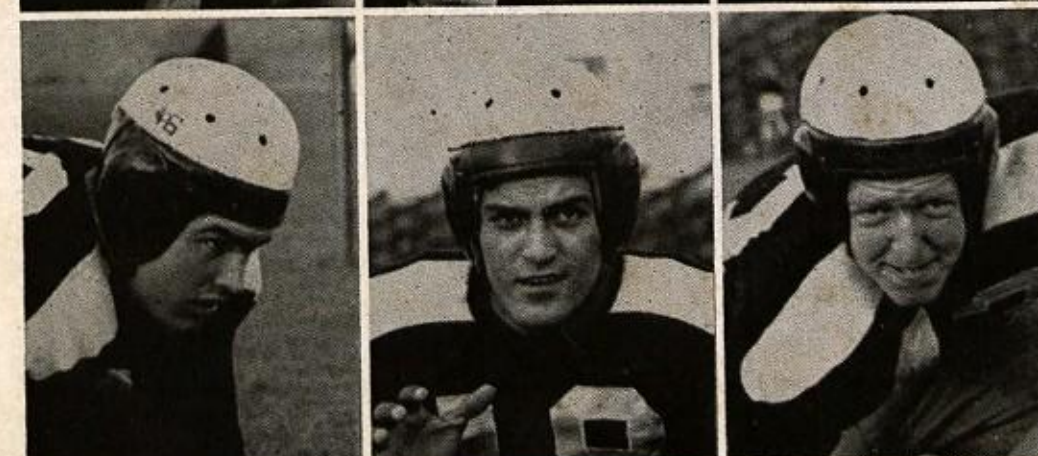


HE PLAYED....





FOOT



MARTINEZ

ANDERSON

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ROGERS

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BALL



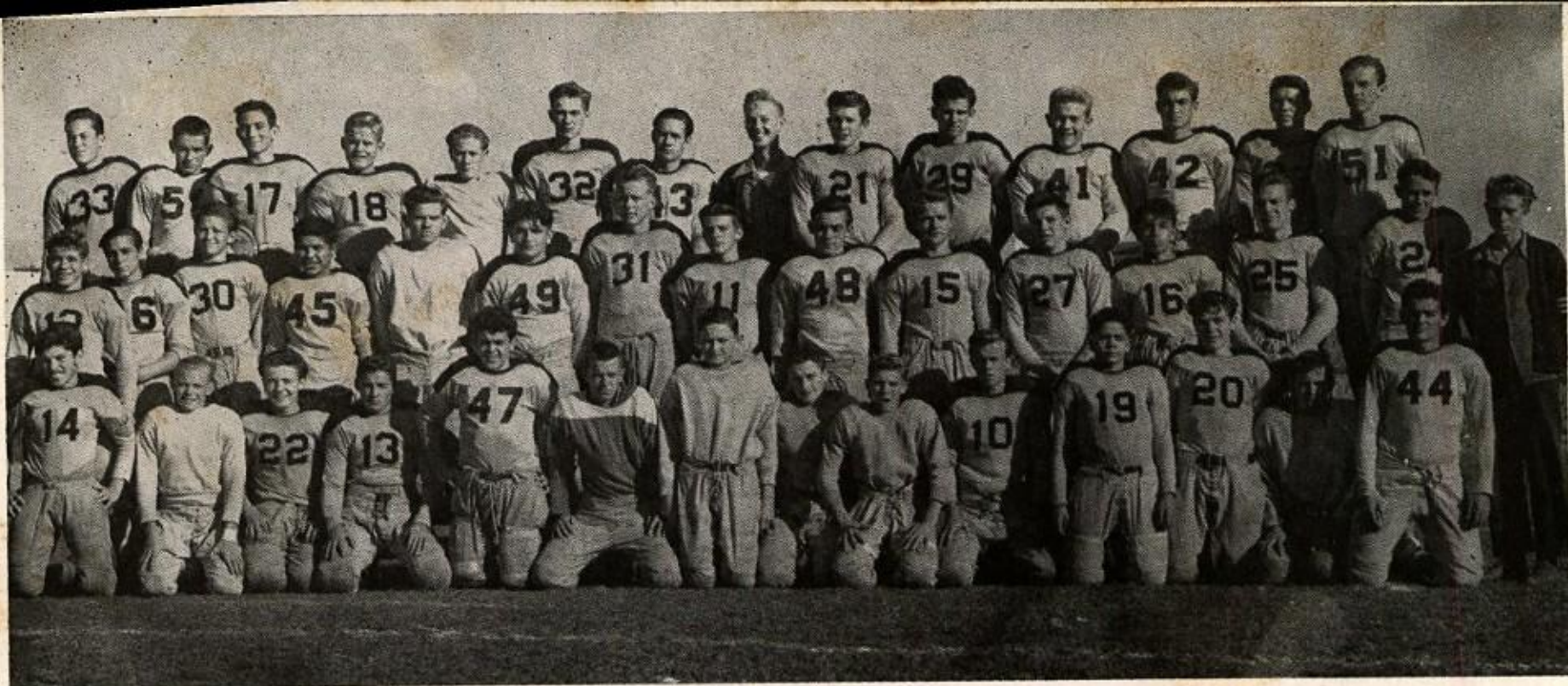
Hold that line! Catch that pass! Komey, take it easy! Ahhhhh—Pedrin made it.

The team goes into a huddle. Komey comes rushing out. Yea! A cheer for our water-boy.

Adding his support to that of the whole school, Komey saw our varsity through a rough and reckless season of exciting football.

Who knows better than Komey what the coaches, Algy Lambert and Hal Smith have done for the team, and what the team has done to help the school.





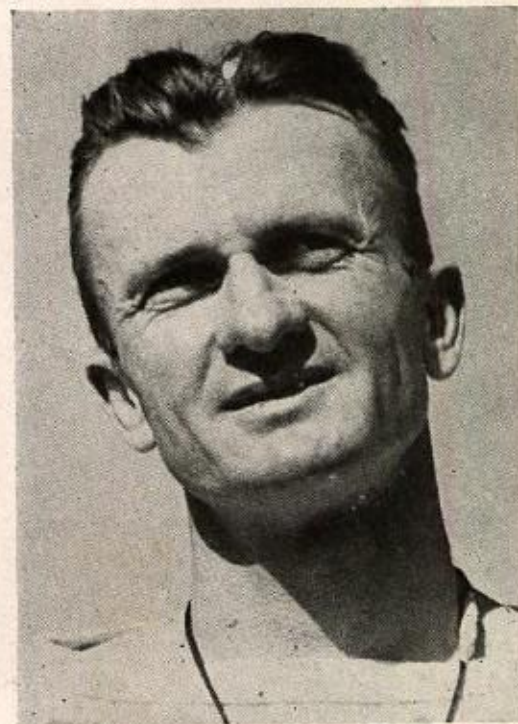
JUNIOR VARSITY

To build up their muscle and skill for varsity football was the aim of this year's J.V. Team.

In playing with the J.V.'s of other schools in the league they proved to all that they had what it takes.

At the first of the year they were defeated by a large margin but the scores improved until these spunky kids defeated Coronado. Komey really aired his tonsils in cheering at this game while he watched Kearny beat a path to the goal line.

Thanks go to Coach Darrell Smith for his excellent coaching.







BASKETBALL

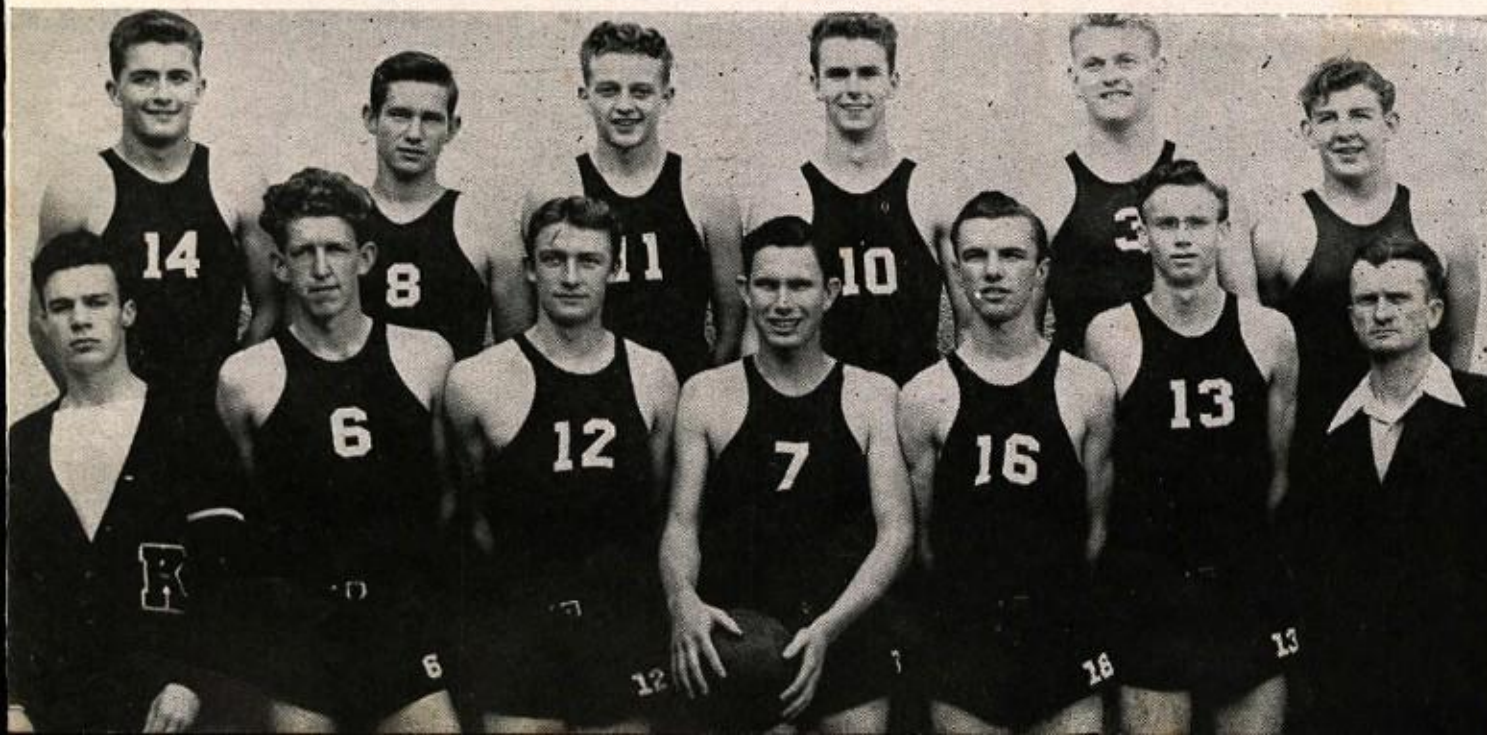
Instead of being just a little bit glum over the "A" team's 1946 record, Komey was actually encouraged for he realized that all young schools must start at the bottom.

So instead of bemoaning his fate, Komey was at all the games, cheering a lot, moaning a little, but at all times knocking himself out with good ol' school spirit. Coach Darrell Smith was proud indeed when his boys came through with four wins.



"A" BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row: Carroll, Litten, Helms, Langford, Chapman, Simpson, Coach Smith. Second Row: Stolte, Mobley, Alford, Vander Meulen, Schutt, and Peterson.



"B" TEAM



Front Row: Gillilan, Bates. Second Row: Ticer, Bjornson, Wilson, Avila, Moore, Mikkelsen. Third Row: Carlton, Carlson, Hawkes, Zabriskie, Leicht, Benner, Grail, Coach Cheesman.

Komey really went overboard for this team, racing madly up and down the court, screaming at the top of his voice, and holding his breath in horror when a precious tally was missed.

With the varsity "A" team as their goal these boys worked hard this year, and made a good showing under the fine coaching of Paul Cheesman.

Komey has big hopes for them in the coming year, and can hardly wait for next year's training to begin.

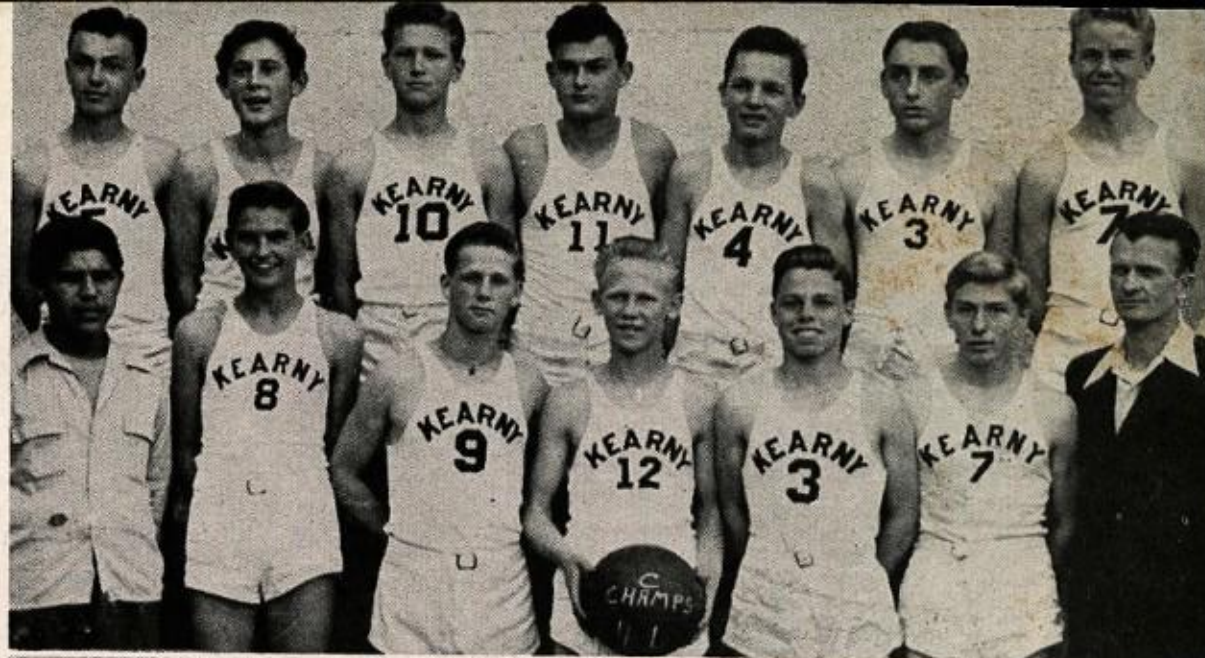
"C" TEAM

Mention the Kearny "C's" to Komey, and watch him go berserk, popping buttons right and left, so proud is he of this team, for they took the county basketball championship in their class.

Komey hopes that these boys will continue to bring fame to Kearny, and to promote sportsmanship wherever they go.

Three cheers for their coach, Darrell Smith.

Front Row: Quintero, Middaugh, Higdon, Douglas, Press, Capsalla, Coach D. Smith; **Back Row:** Stevick, Celaya, Freeman, McMinn, Chapman, Davis, Baker.

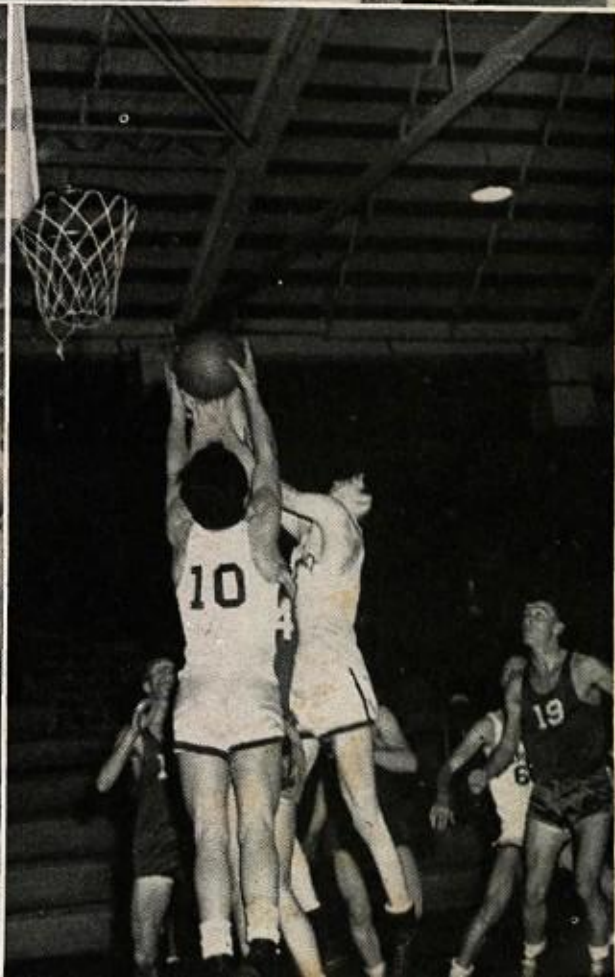


"D" TEAM

The youngest cagemen in the school, the "D" team, made a good showing in the league this year under the training of Coach Darrell Smith.

Komey has high hopes for these pint-size players, and expects more of them after they have added experience.

Front Row: Quintero, Repaci, Ingle, Ellis, Meerchaum, Coach D. Smith; **Back Row:** Hawkins, Stolte, Robinson, Miller, Grant.



TRACK

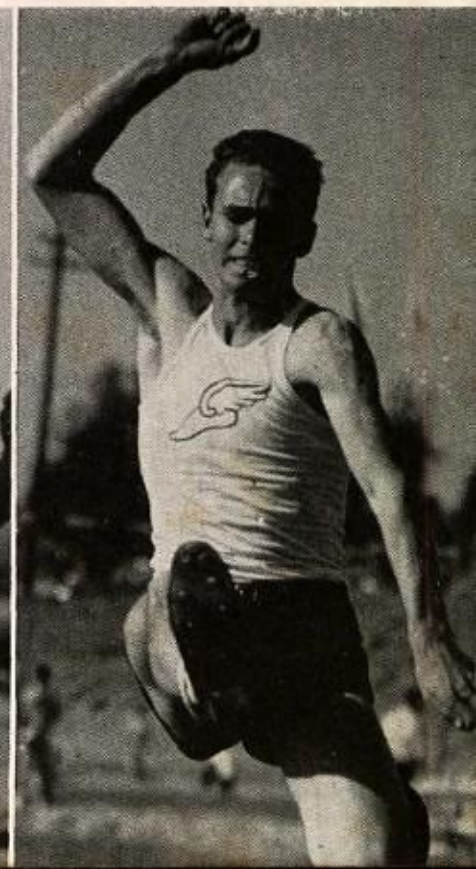
On your mark! Get set! Banggg! The thin-clads are off—hey, Komey! Off the track. It looks like another first. Yes, Komey flashes across the finish line to mark up more points for the Komets.

A good showing was made in all divisions. The large crowd that showed up for each meet could hardly find eyes enough to watch all the events at the same time.

Any day you could hear Coach Hal Smith yelling, "More speed, fellahs!" or "Lift those knees," and they did just that, lifted them up and put them down, but fast.



First Row: Coach Smith, Burgess, oss, Smith, Rees, Manning, Vander Meulen, Leicht, Foreman, Moore, Nodine, Stein, James, Clark, Carlson; **Second Row:** Cooper, Smith, Whetstine, Roe, Fletcher, Lupton, Doan, McDermott, Gwathmey, Rowley; **Third Row:** Flores, Walker, Hunsucker, Grounds, Gay, Wilson, Smith, Partain; **Fourth Row:** Chapman, Benner, Maxwell, Barone, Weirich, McCray, Rodriguez, McMinn, Butcher, Fonville, Stevick, Douglas, Press, Morley, Hawks, Freeman.



CROSS COUNTRY

Dashing madly across streets, down alleys, over garages, and up drain pipes, were the cross country boys.

Our boy, Komey, was always out in front, stopping traffic and waving pedestrians to one side to let our runners go by.

McDermott, more widely known as "Mac", was low point man, which of course, means he's the outstanding runner. Coached by Dewey Youngblood, the whole team was tops.



Mikkelson, Rowley, Walker, Jordon, Clark, James, Evans, Voss, Maxwell, Ostrand, McDermott,
Coach D. Youngblood



WRESTLING

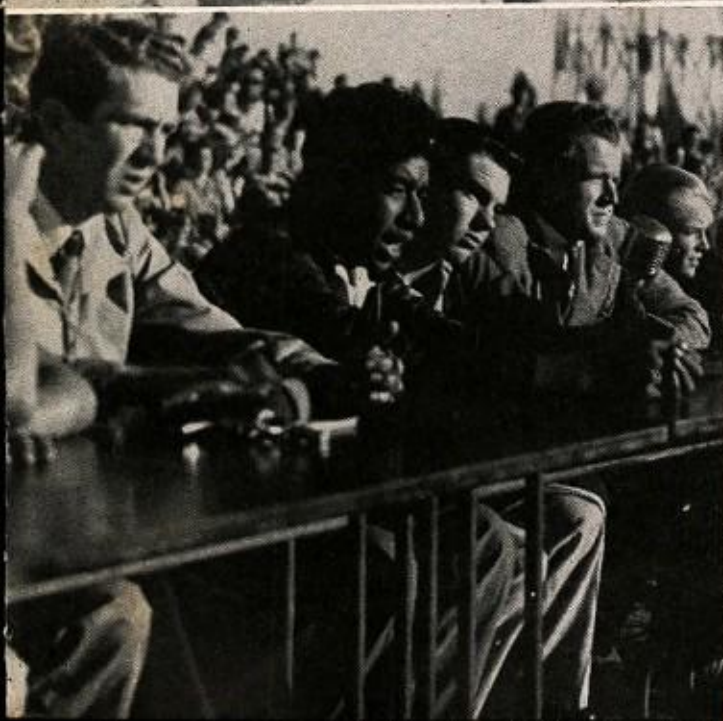
The grunt 'n groan boys brought many honors home to Kearny. They finished second in the Victory League, placed third in the A.A.U., fifth in the SCIF, and won three dual meets out of five.

Komey learned not to say "Twist my arm" or "Pull my leg" around these brawny boys—particularly around Atkins, high point scorer; he knew they would gladly take him at his word. Even Coach Algy Lambert had to watch his words around these boys.

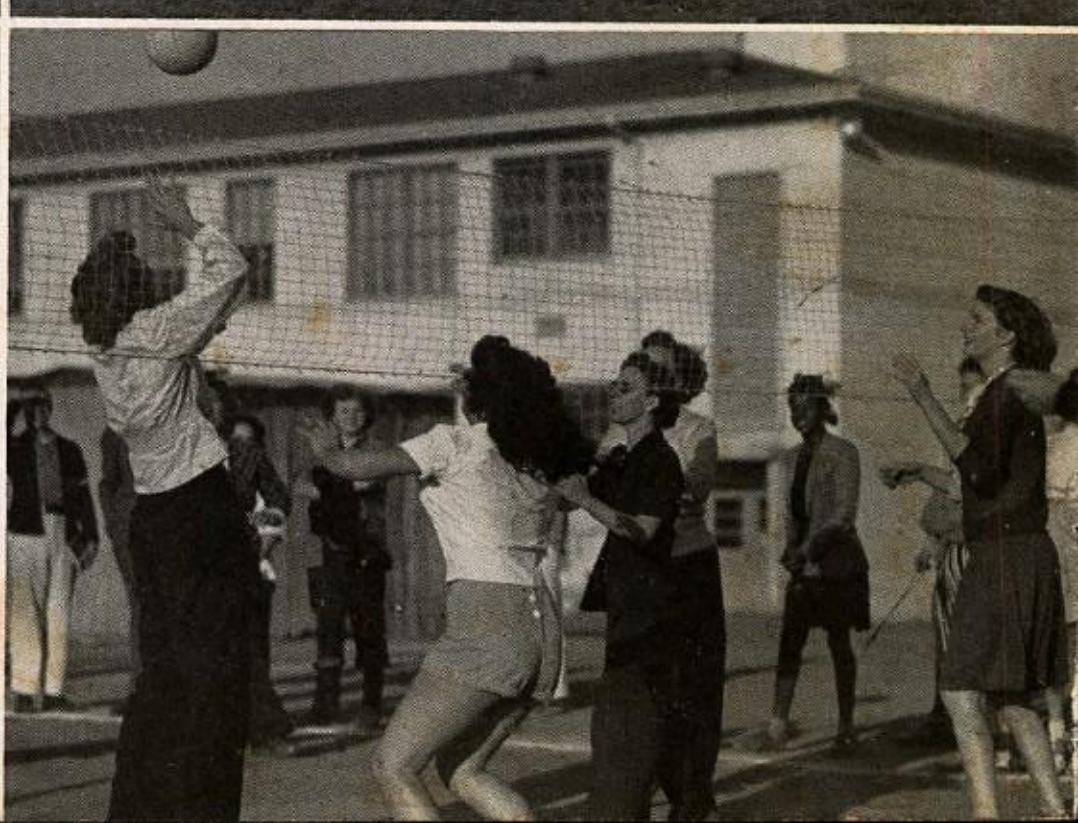
Front Row: Townsend, Ellis, Ingle, Ellis, Jackson, Boggs, Wilkenson, Scofield, Grayson; **Second Row:** Bowerman, Clark, Grant, Stewart, O'Neal, Vincent, Callahan; **Third Row:** Coach A. Lambert, Litten, Harold, Fickas, Spano, Blanton, Roe, Atkins, French; **Back Row:** Avila, Wilkinson, Avery, Middaugh, Pierce, Piper, Ellis.



All This and Football, Too.



GIRLS' SPORTS





Komey's eyes had a gleam in them; no wonder, the Drill Team was on parade. The Rockettes have nothing on these girls when it comes to precision. Those gals really work to put on those smooth performances. And talk about assemblies! Well, their Faculty show to finance new uniforms certainly hit an all time high.

A low whistle of admiration from Komey for those Limber Lassies of the Tumbling Team. A fish-flop by them doesn't look fishy!

The girls' new shower room made it possible for them to dress this year in regulatin gym clothes. "Not a bad idea, huh, Komey?" It certainly made playing a lot easier, as any girl can tell you. Basketball, Volleyball and Speedball in quick succession, with Tournament play-offs, gave many an hour of relaxation to study-weary students.



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